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DITTO-MOORMAN WEDDING THURSDAY

Miss Mary Cornelia Ditto and Mr. Raymond Moorman are Married at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Fairleigh.

ONLY RELATIVES PRESENT

The wedding of Miss Mary Cornelia Ditto and Mr. Raymond Moorman took place Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. David W. Fairleigh of Louisville. The ceremony was said by Dr. Alderman, pastor of the Fourth Street Baptist Church.

Miss Katie Grahman Ditto, of Brandenburg, was the maid of honor and Mr. James Moorman of Big Spring, the groom's brother, was best man. The other attendants were: Misses Graham and Minnie Lee McGeehee, Misses Kate McGeehee and Addie G. Ditto, Holton and Fred Ditto, brothers of the bride. Miss Myrtle Moorman and Miss A. Louise Babbage carried streamers of white ribbon from the stairway in the hall to the parlor where the ceremony was solemnized. The bridal party marched through the ribbon aisle while Miss Mildred Babbage played the wedding march. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Mr. William Ditto.

She wore a dainty white dress and veil caught with orange blossoms and carried a French bouquet. The maid of honor carried pink sweet peas.

Immediately before the ceremony Miss Addie Fairleigh sang "Song of My Soul" accompanied by Miss Florence Fairleigh.

The guests included only the relatives of the bride and groom. The house was beautifully decorated in cut flowers.

The bride's table which was the first one she had ever dined on at the Ditto homestead when a baby girl was set with pink candles, lace dollies and a center piece of sweet peas.

Delicious ices and cakes were served before the party left for the depot.

E. Phillips Oppenheim

E. Phillips Oppenheim, the novelist, is preparing to come to America for a visit to the home of his American wife near Boston.

Mr. Oppenheim who is perhaps the most widely read English novelist to-day has given up his business interests to devote more time to travel and writing. His latest novel, entitled "Havoc" which he has just finished, will receive its first publication in this country in serial form in the Smart Set Magazine, beginning with the September issue. The Smart Set promises with this story an enlargement of the magazine.

Not Yet Says Senator Bradley

The editor of the News is in receipt of a letter from Senator Bradley, in which he refers to an article recently published in The News and denies that he held any conference in Frankfort with friends relative to the Republican nomination for Governor. The information upon which the editorial in the News was based came from a Frankfort newspaper or a Frankfort correspondent, we are not sure which, and the statement of another Frankfort paper that Lieut. Governor Cox would be a candidate for Governor. Senator Bradley concludes his letter to the editor of The News with this very significant statement—"Up to this time I have done absolutely nothing so far as the nomination for Governor is concerned." "Up to this time" seems to indicate that the Senator will take a hand at a later time, and when he does the News predicts it will be an iron hand which somebody will feel and that it will not be for the benefit of Judge O'Rear. The Republicans of Kentucky can no more nominate a candidate for Governor in Kentucky without consulting Bradley than they can name a United States District Attorney or any other important Federal officer. Watch Senator W. O. at some time take a hand in the Governor's race, and then watch the slate of the other fellows smashed to pieces.—Etown News

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

I have the 1910 tax book in my office in Cloverport and am ready to receive taxes. Drop in and pay.

R. O. Perkins, Deputy Sheriff.

HAPPY REUNION

At The Home Of Mr. And Mrs. S. R. Berry In This City Last Week--Twenty-two In All Present Wednesday.

What was a happy day for Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Berry, of this city, was last Wednesday when they sat down to the dinner table with all their own children and their grandchildren present. The occasion was caused by the return of their son, LeRoy Berry, from the army, who has been gone three years, spending a deal of his time at Vancouver Barracks, Washington.

It was not only a family reunion, but a celebration of the thirty-first anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Berry. They have also been living in Cloverport twenty years this month. Mr. and Mrs. Berry are to be congratulated on their excellent children, especially those who have grown into manhood and womanhood. They have health and energy and the highest principles.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Berry who are not married are: LeRoy, Owen, Harry, Ralph and Miss Lucille Berry. The married ones and their families are: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Berry, Jr., and children, Paul Edward and Helen Francis; Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Hook and children, Thurman, Jr. and Harold, of Howell, Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. John Black, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bowlds and little daughter, Thelma.

Popular Visitor

Miss Mary Breidenbach, of Owensboro, was surprised last Wednesday evening by a party of friends who gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. May, in her honor. Miss Breidenbach was the guest of the Misses May for a week.

Princeton Institute

In this issue of the News appears an interesting advertisement of the Princeton Collegiate Institute, Princeton, Kentucky. This is a splendid school for girls with every educational advantage. Ida M. Taylor is principal and will be glad to furnish information to anyone in regard to the institute.

Smith--Tague

Mrs. F. M. Smith announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Jennie Simons Smith to Mr. Carroll E. Tague of Lima, Ohio. The wedding will take place in the early fall. Miss Smith is the daughter of the late Dr. F. M. Smith.

"Vital Principles," By Dortch Campbell

The News is in receipt of a well bound book in brown leather entitled "Vital principles". The little volume points out the way to perfect health and a life of one hundred years. The author is Dortch Campbell, of Middlesboro, who will mail the book to anyone for one dollar. Mr. Campbell is a well known newspaper man and covered the recent meeting of the Kentucky Press Association for the Louisville Times.

Announcement

We, the committee for the Sunday School Convention to be held at Harpeth Baptist church, July 9, 1910, beg leave to announce that we are making all the necessary arrangements to make it a pleasant day for one and all. Dinner on the grounds, also plenty of ice water.

Coleman Payne,
Robt. Bruington,
Charlie Weatherford,
Committee

Sales of Lambs

J. E. Munford sold last week 34 lambs averaging 75 pounds at 7 1/4 cents.

E. B. Ashcraft sold 23 lambs from 15 ewes and intimates that very few sheep raisers in this county can show a better record.

Mr. Brown Improving

Julian Brown, who is at Dawson Springs, is improving rapidly. Mrs. Brown spent Sunday with him.

FRANK MEGERLEY CAUGHT IN THE NIGHT

"Takes" Chickens In The Early Morning And Eats Breakfast In The Lock Up

HIS FIRST EXPERIENCE IN JAIL

What was a sad and unexpected experience for Frank Megerley happened Sunday morning about three o'clock. Lawrence Murray was awakened at his home by a racket in the Murray chicken lot. Mr. Murray was ready in a minute to investigate matters and as soon as he was on the ground he spied Frank taking his choice of the Murray's White Leghorns. A glance at Mr. Murray was sufficient and Frank, as quick as lightning, ran as fast as he could to his hut down on the river bank, but before he reached home he was overtaken by Chief DeHaven and Mr. Murray.

Frank was put in the lock-up immediately. This was his first experience in prison, notwithstanding, his son was arrested on the same charge several years ago. Frank said he did not know why he "took" the chickens except it was the call of his appetite. The wonder of his friends is that he was caught for Frank is getting old now and wise enough to keep his fingers off of fine fowls.

Frank had company in jail however, for a dope fiend was locked up with him. They are both out today and are happy.

WHEAT JUMPS HIGH

Advance Of Over Four Cents In December Options

Chicago, July 5—On nervous light trading, wheat this afternoon showed an advance of 2 1/4 to 4 1/4c, the latter in the December option. Worse and worse drought conditions in the spring crop zone were responsible. Plowing up of wheat fields was said to have been started at many places in Minnesota. The North Dakota crop, it was alleged, had gone too far for rain to be of help. Damage north of the Canadian Pacific railroad was estimated at 10 to 25 per cent, and south 25 to 65 per cent. The price of the September delivery here reached \$1.01 3/8 and December \$1.02 1/4.

Western Horses

Many nice western ponies were sold here this week by Messrs. Burt & Smith. They brought in a car load from the west, and it contained many good ones. Not many years ago this character of stock could be bought from \$5 to \$25 each, but it is reported that they are growing scarce upon the western plains, and now an extra good one commands from \$50 to \$100.—Hancock Clarion.

A Chance For A Fox Chase

Al Whitworth and Jesse Miller say they have two of the best and fastest hounds in the county and they make the statement that their hounds can beat any in the county. Here's a chance now to have a fine chase if you have dogs that can run and you have faith in them, write Al Whitworth Stephensport, Ky., if you want a race.

Dinner For Miss Hambleton

Miss Anne Hambleton, of Sorgho, was the guest at an all day dinner yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lightfoot. The guests were: Mrs. Etta Evans, Miss Lizzie Skillman, Mrs. Fred Ferry, Miss Josie Raitt, Miss Georgia White and Mrs. Reid.

Newspaper Enterprise.

A creditable and praiseworthy bit of journalistic enterprise was pulled off at the press meet at Middlesboro last week by the Western Newspaper Union. Under the personal supervision of Mr. Radford, its Cincinnati manager, it printed daily an eight page newspaper profusely illustrated with the pictures of the prominent editors and a full account of all its proceedings. It was a first class effort, run by a first class man, and the Kentucky editors certainly appreciate the enterprise of the Western Newspaper Union. It was done at considerable expense, without any revenue except the plaudits of the newspaper folks.—Elizabethtown News.

GO TO IRVINGTON

M. And Mrs. Chas. Hook Will Leave Cloverport Next Week To Make Their Home At The Railroad Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hook and little daughters, Misses Elizabeth Moorman and Ruby Haynes, will leave Monday for Irvington to make their home. Mr. Hook is one of Cloverport's best citizens and his departure is regretted. He is a member of the City Council and has always taken an active interest in the city.

Mrs. Hook and the little girls are lovely and have friends who loathe to see them leave. Mr. Hook has been in the grocery department of F. Fraize and will hold a position with the Irvington Mill Company.

JOSEPH HOWARD

Met Death in a Peculiar Way.... Was Prominent Man of Glendean and in the Prime of Life

Word was received here that Joseph Howard of Glendean was instantly killed by being struck in the head by the limb of a tree. He was assisting in d naiming a tree in an effort to secure a drove of bees. He was standing about 100 yards from the tree when the explosion occurred.

The accident and death of Mr. Howard causes deep regret throughout the country. He was a member of a well known family and a brother of Jess Howard of Glendean.

Notes Of The K. P. A.

J. Erie Davis represented the Courier-Journal both at Middlesboro and Pineville.

Capt. John A. Cowles, of Louisville, who has the title of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, S. J. U. S. A., Sovereign Grand Inspector General of Kentucky, honored the Kentucky editors with his presence at Middlesboro.

Hugh Young, of the Pineville Sun, gave away very attractive souvenirs of The Sun office to the editors during their stay at Pineville.

Mr. Carroll, a New Yorker, who was a guest at the Middlesboro was the last one to bed and the first one up during the press meet. His room opened on the front balcony and there were no window curtains in his room.

Louis Landrum, of Danville Messenger, was one of the hardest workers for the success of the Press meeting. Notwithstanding the duties of opening his new office at Danville, he had the work of arranging the business sessions for the editors. And that job of getting people to take part is not as easy as reading over the program.

Mr. Saunders, J. Erie Davis, and Jack Sallee, of the Courier Journal, entertained Miss Addie Fairleigh's guests, Miss A. Louise Babbage and Miss Mildred Babbage last Wednesday night at their private "Sanctum Sanctorum" in the Courier Journal building. After an inspection of the plant of this great metropolitan newspaper, the party was given a luncheon at 1:30 a. m. and the hours spent with these newspaper men were truly "Joys of The Press." Those in the party besides the hosts were: Misses Fairleigh Louise and Mildred Babbage, Katie Graham Ditto and Katie McGeehee, Messrs. Mullane Keisker, Fred and Holton Ditto, Lansen Ditto, of New York, and Mr. Perkins, of Jacksonville, Fla.

Mrs. Higdon Studying Law

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Higdon have returned from Owensboro, where Mr. Higdon was engaged in the circuit court as attorney for Annie E. And against the Mutual Life Insurance Co. While in Owensboro Mrs. Higdon visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Enright, and attended court as well. It is understood that Mrs. Higdon is studying law, and may some day be licensed to practice this profession in connection with her husband, who is now serving his third term satisfactorily as county attorney for Hancock county.—Hancock Clarion.

Kentucky Editors in the Mountains

By Louise

.....Written Especially for the Breckenridge News.....

This is my third article about the forty-first annual meeting of The Kentucky Press Association that was held a few days ago at Middlesboro, and one would think I had written all that could be said, but if I should live a hundred years, there would still be fresh thoughts of the press meeting in that mountain borough to put in print.

When I left home all the determination I had was packed in my trunk to go to Middlesboro to work. Mr. Clark, resident manager of the Western Newspaper Union, of Cincinnati, asked me to assist them in publishing the convention daily, The Western Publisher, and for several weeks in advance I was busy gathering material for this paper. Monday afternoon as soon as I stepped off the train at Middlesboro I was introduced to Mr. Radford, representing the Union. Immediately he took me to the print shop of the News Record where the daily was published and gave me all needed information. At the News Record office I met Mr. Chas. P. Cunningham and Mr. Warren Cunningham, Messrs. S. G. Rozelle, George Jones, Joe Heil, C. E. Jones, P. B. Snapp and Miss Nora Blankenship. I was at home. That print shop charmed me. I forgot about supper, forgot about the pretty new dress mother made for me to "dress up" in for the reception. All I thought about was getting copy for that daily.

THE RECEPTION.

Monday evening before supper, after supper, at the station, at the hotel, on the streets, in the drug stores and at the opera house the citizens of Middlesboro were receiving and welcoming the Kentucky editors. Flags were flying, Michael's Band was playing, red, white and blue lights were burning in honor of the Kentucky Press. Mayor Helburn, W. J. Kinnaird and his brother, R. C. Ford, Mrs. Helburn, Mrs. Johnson, and so many delightful people were receiving and introducing the editors. This reception held forth at the Middlesboro Hotel until 12 o'clock that night and even that late hour came too soon.

TUESDAY'S PROGRAM.

The next morning we did not sleep late, and by eight o'clock I had a bunch of copy ready for this Publisher. I opened my letters, filled some mail orders for "Joys of The Press" and ate breakfast. Then our party, Addie Fairleigh, Mildred Babbage and Miss Addie Ditto, who received flowers every day from some one, I never learned,—went to the opera house to the opening session of the meeting. We heard Mayor Helburn's welcome address, President Underwood's annual address, the annual poem of E. A. Jonas, the report of Secretary Bowmar. Col. Haldeman and others spoke. This was the only business session I attended. Accidentally, I got in my head that President Underwood said that Middlesboro wanted us to put "pleasure before business" and I did. So John Babbage, Jr., stole out of the opera house with me and our play began.

AT THE BUNGALOW.

Twelve o'clock we reached Hartman, Tenn., the home of Senator Daniel Cooper Swab. He and Mr. J. H. Keeney, assisted by Messrs. Walter Finley, C. S. McManas, Misses Isabelle and Elizabeth Ralston, Mrs. Gaines Moss, Mrs. Finley and Mrs. Horr, entertained the press boys and girls.

Our special train furnished free by the L. & N. to ride us any place at any time during our stay in the mountains, stopped at the front door of Senator Swab's bungalow and he was standing on the front steps to greet us. On the balcony were tables laden with good things to eat. George Peters, of The Courier Journal, said he had never seen such an elegant luncheon and he is an old chap who has been wined and dined all over the United States. It is not "manners" to ask the price, but I learned that luncheon cost those mine owners \$600. And too, Mr. Keeney and the Senator were as generous to the mountain boys and girls as he was to us. Many a fellow who did not know a stick from a galley, got an ice cream cone over the back fence. Mrs. Wilhor, who has a nice restaurant in Middlesboro served the luncheon. After the editors lunched, some took a trip to the mines where they were given souvenirs. Many stayed at the bungalow for it was a place too interesting to leave. Even his pillow slips were hand made and there was a powder rag on every dresser, just like a girl was there.

The Senator's Silent Servant was the curiosity of the bungalow. Mr. Ralston and Mr. Woodbury took great pleasure in showing this; it was a black statue and as "ugly as the d—!" as some say. It is just a toy, a plaything, and Mr. Ralston said "that was the best the Senator could do," but his editor friends doubt it. I forgot to say Senator Swab is a bachelor, not ugly, not a pauper. Any girl is foolish who would not set her cap for him if she had half a chance.

THE WOMAN'S SESSION.

The Woman's Session was held Tuesday night at the Middlesboro Hotel. Mrs. Ellwanger, Miss Lena Rollins, Mrs. Louis Landrum and Mrs. Mamie P. Braughton took part in the program. They were introduced by Mr. Harry Sommers. At the conclusion of the program Col. E. Polk Johnson presented to Louise a remembrance in cash from the Kentucky editors as a token of their esteem. I never dreamed of this and the gift was indeed a surprise. They wanted to give me a pin, but one could not be gotten at that time in Middlesboro. I should like to thank each editor personally, this is impossible, so I shall have to depend on printers ink to express my gratitude. The first money I ever made was by writing news items for the Louisville Times and Courier Journal. This I spent for a diamond. Last week when I was in Louisville I decided to get a unique ring with the gift from the editors and have this stone used. The ring is being made from a special design and it will have Kentucky Press engraved on it. I can hardly wait for next year to come so I may show the ring to all the editors.

THE JOY HUNT.

Tuesday evening immediately after the Woman's Session a joy hunt was given. No one found the prize so it was repeated Wednesday evening and Miss Elizabeth Speers, of Nicholasville, was the lucky girl. The prize was five dollars given by Rodgers Gore, secretary to Col. Ben Johnson.

WEDNESDAY.

The editors were entertained at the Brewery for luncheon Wednesday. Souvenirs dry and wet were given away there. Mr. Coleman, the genial book-keeper at the brewery gave several of the guests a tour through the plant. That night a german, led by Mr. Vernon Richardson and Miss Margaret Mount, was given at the Middlesboro Hotel.

THURSDAY MOUNTAIN DAY.

Thursday the boys and girls climbed the pinnacle and about the time the zenith was reached rain began to pour and old and young were drenched to the hide. It was "awful funny". After their soaking another luncheon was served on the mountain where Tennessee, Kentucky and Virginia hit. That night a dance happened at the Middlesboro Hotel with ice cream on the side.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The annual election of officers was held Thursday morning and resulted as follows: President, A. D. Miller; Vice President, Col. W. B. Haldeman; Secretary and Treasurer, Shelton Sauley; Chairman Executive Committee, E. D. Shinnick.

GOOD-BYE TO MIDDLESBORO.

Friday morning most of us said goodbye to Middlesboro. I, for one, had a lump in my throat when we turned our backs on the magic city. I had fallen in love—with the mountains! They are beautiful, and that government pike from Middlesboro to Cumberland Gap looked like a streamer of white satin ribbon thrown across the giant hills. The people of Middlesboro are just as great too; they were the same every day and their hospitality was frank and untiring. Indeed, the citizens of Middlesboro shall never be forgotten by the Kentucky editors. We want to thank the mayor, the citizens, the program and reception committees, and especially those who opened not only their hearts and homes, but their pocket-books, to make us have a good time.

PINEVILLE DAY.

Friday the Kentucky Editors were entertained at Pineville, the Queen City of the mountains. The program was delightful and the News regrets that a detailed account cannot be given.

Now is the time to use a Want Ad.